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The Honorable Ryan Zinke
Secretary of the Interior
1849 C Street, NW
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Dear Mr. Secretary:

I cordially invite you to attend the American Petroleum Institute's Board of Directors reception and dinner this evening, Wednesday, March 14, 2018, at the Trump International Hotel 1100 Pennsylvania Avenue NW Washington, DC. The reception is scheduled for 5:30pm in the Franklin Study, followed by dinner at 6:30pm in the Lincoln Library.

API's Board of Directors is composed of 45 CEOs representing a broad spectrum of the U.S. oil and natural gas industry. (A list of the Board members is enclosed for your reference.) This gathering of top executives offers an important opportunity to provide your views to industry leaders on the economy, energy policy and ongoing trade discussions.

Your appearance would mean a great deal to us. Please don't hesitate to contact me or Khary Cauthen, API's Senior Director of Federal Relations (202-682-8209 or cauthenk@api.org), with any questions.

I look forward to hearing from you, and I hope you will be able to join us tonight.

Sincerely,

Jack N. Gerard

Enclosure